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Vishva M. DIXIT

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Examiner: R. Hayes

Group Art Unit: 1645

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Dear Sir:

Prosecution of the allowed subject application was suspended for a potential interference on June 3, 1999. Applicant respectfully requests the examination status of the subject application.

Additionally, enclosed is an Associate Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address for the attorney's new address.

Respectfully submitted,

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